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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicants:	Philippe Gambier	§	Art Unit:	3672
Serial No.:	10/763,565	§		
Filed:	January 23, 2004	§	Examiner:	Giovanna M. Collins
Title:	Well Packer Having An Energized Sealing Element And Associated Method	§	Docket No.	68.0418 (SHL.0268US)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 17, 2006

Dear Sir:

Please amend the claims in accordance with the following CLAIM AMENDMENTS section; and consider the comments in the following REMARKS section.

Date of Deposit: April 17, 2006
I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as **first class mail** with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.
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